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For: ORGANIC-INORGANIC COMPOSITE GRADED MATERIAL, PROCESS FOR  
THE PRODUCTION THEREOF AND ITS USE

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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for  
examination, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claims for corresponding claims  
previously presented. A copy of the amended claims showing current revisions is  
attached.

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